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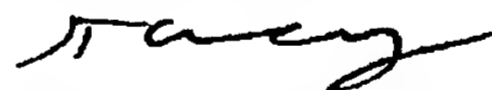
Sir:

This request is submitted pursuant to 37 CFR 1.313(a) to withdraw an application from issue.

On about 02/04/2005 Examiner Wills contacted Applicants' representative by telephone to discuss an Examiner's amendment for allowance of the application. On 02/07/2005, Applicants' representative declined to accept the amendment. However, the amendment was inadvertently entered and the application passed to issue. The issue fee has not been paid. Applicants request withdrawal of the application from issue and its return to the Examiner.

Since this petition is in response to a USPTO error, no fee is due. However, in the event that a fee is required, please charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 50-0281, and in the event that there is a credit due, please credit Deposit Account No. 50-0281.

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